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House File 334

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A BILL FOR

An Act legalizing an emergency fund levy for cities having a population of not less than twenty-six thousand or more than twenty-seven thousand as shown by the last census.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 Section 1. Any city having a population of not less
2 than 26,000 nor more than 27,000, as shown by the last census,
3 shall have the power to assess and levy in addition to the
4 emergency fund tax already provided, an additional emergency
5 fund tax levy not to exceed two (2) mills for the years 1947
6 and 1948, notwithstanding the limitations of section twenty-
7 four point six (24.6) Code 1946.

1 Sec. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance
2 shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage
3 and publication in The Clinton Herald, a newspaper published
4 at Clinton, Iowa, and the Dewitt Observer, a newspaper published
5 at Dewitt, Iowa, without expense to the state of Iowa.

EXPLANATION OF H. F. 334

Due to expansion of Clinton, Iowa incident to establishment of industries, largely outside the city limits and not subject to municipal taxation, cost of government in Clinton is greater than can be financed by present millage revenues and it has been necessary to increase police and fire department personnel and augment other public services without a comparable increase in revenue from present sources. Therefore the addition to the emergency fund is necessary until a reassessment can be realized. This bill effects Clinton, Iowa, only.